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DETAILED ACTION / REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-3 allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Regarding claim 1: The nearest available prior art of record, Kirkpatrick (US 4,958,064) teaches (se figures 1 and 3) a bar code in the front windshield of a vehicle. See column 4, lines 18-36: The bar code is scanning which automatically leads to a checking of the vehicle. In particular, there is a check to see if the vehicle is stolen. Externally stopping a car identified as stolen is taught by Muise et al. (US 6,072,248): Gerber (US 5,568,406) teaches scanning a license plate in order to make a determination that a vehicle is stolen, by checking police net. In the examiner's view, motive to combine all three of the above would be based largely on hindsight. Also, nowhere in the prior art is it taught or suggested to have a barcode between in the inner and outer layers of the rear safety glass as recited in claim 1.

Re claim 2: In addition to the reasons of claim 1, nowhere in the art is it suggested to have a pistol bullet inside a barrel located inside the wheel cover.

Re claim 3: In addition to the reasons of claim 1, nowhere in the art is it suggested to have knives located inside the wheel covers.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

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Conclusion

The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure. Lessard et al. (US PG Pub 2003/0128104 A1) and Walker et al. (US PG Pub 2004/0049324 A1) are both antitheft systems to disable vehicles.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Daniel A Hess whose telephone number is (571) 272-2392. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM M-F.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Michael G Lee can be reached on (571) 272-2398. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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